

Dear Mr May,

I rather intended to
carry my subscription into the Treasury gene-
rally, but am not particular about it.

I have refrained from doing it thus
far because I am at ebb tide as to funds
(in consequence of an unfortunate subscription
of \$300 - which the man was wazzy enough
to call on me for!) - The tide will set in
again before the Society will be in actual
want, & therefore I had delayed till now.
Very much prefer paying down to pleading,
and hoped by delaying a little to be able to
pay without telling out from my very few &
small investments -

If however you think it will be the
least use to push me for \$50 - to the Standard
fund - so to by all means, and I will double
the dose of powder
Yours
Wm L. Howard

